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Cool Weather Ended by Hot Weekend

Agricultural Summary

Average temperatures across the state were well above normal for the week with a hot end of the week. The average temperatures ranged from 82 to 98 degree highs and 26 to 44 degree lows. Light precipitation was recorded mostly in Northern Idaho.

Livestock, Pasture and Range Report

First cutting alfalfa is at 76% complete in Southwestern Idaho. Dry weather has resulted in lower range and pasture conditions.

Field Crop Report

In Eastern Idaho, the crop growth is slowed by earlier cool temperature. Franklin County Extension Educator states alfalfa yield is low, probably because of cold weather this month. Bannock County reports the early alfalfa cutting is due to high weed pressure. In the Treasure Valley, the grape vineyards are showing signs of winter damage, according to Payette County Extension Educator.

Soil Moisture and Days Suitable for Fieldwork

Topsoil moisture last week was 10% very short, 31% short, 52% adequate, and 7% surplus. Idaho farmers had an average of 6.7 days suitable for fieldwork last week.

Crop Progress Table

Percentages	2007	2006	Average
Field Corn Emerged.	80	87	81
Oats Emerged.....	95	70	80
Dry Peas Emerged...	97	97	94
Dry Beans Planted....	96	92	64
Emerged.....	29	60	33
Lentils Emerged.....	96	96	96

Grain Growth Stage

	Jointed	Booted	Headed
Winter Wheat	97	66	23
Spring Wheat	42	--	--
Barley	38	--	--

Condition Table

Percentages	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Winter Wheat	--	4	10	75	11
Spring Wheat	--	4	9	81	6
Barley	2	2	17	74	5
Irr. Water Supply	--	10	34	49	7
Range & Pasture	--	9	35	53	3

Crop Progress District Table

Crop	North			Southwest			South-Central			East			State		
	2007	2006	Avg	2007	2006	Avg	2007	2006	Avg	2007	2006	Avg	2007	2006	Avg
Winter Wheat															
Headed	11	14	6	81	78	76	66	43	27	12	5	7	23	20	15
Spring Wheat															
Emerged	97	99	91	100	100	100	100	100	100	99	89	93	99	93	94
Barley															
Planted.....	100	100	99	100	100	100	100	100	100	99	99	97	99	99	98
Emerged	93	98	86	100	100	100	100	94	98	82	82	85	88	87	89
Potatoes															
Planted	N/A	N/A	N/A	100	100	100	100	100	99	99	95	95	99	97	96
Emerged.....	N/A	N/A	N/A	100	100	99	91	84	70	56	19	26	68	42	43
Alfalfa Hay															
1 st cutting	17	18	8	76	70	58	45	45	46	24	9	7	40	32	28

Avg (2002 – 2006); NA = Very small percentage of acreage in district.

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Weather Data for the Week Ending Sunday, June 3, 2007 ^{1/}

Station	Weekly Air Temperature				Weekly Precipitation		Since Mar 1 Precipitation		Growing Degree Days Since March 1		
	Hi	Lo	Avg	DFN	Total Inches	DFN	Total Inches	DFN	Base 40 Total	Base 50 Total	Base 50 DFN
North											
Coeur D' Alene	89	42	64	6	0.01	-0.41	3.96	-1.44	743	88	26
Grangeville	85	33	59	5	0.00	-0.77	7.18	-1.44	817	69	32
Lewiston	96	41	67	5	0.08	-0.27	2.16	-1.52	1470	122	36
Porthill	87	40	62	5	1.18	0.76	4.96	0.19	824	89	37
Winchester	87	32	57	7	0.03	-0.61	5.83	-2.84	636	58	37
Southwest											
Boise	97	39	67	5	0.00	-0.21	1.76	-1.94	1380	118	36
Emmett	96	40	65	4	0.06	-0.22	1.69	-1.91	1266	109	27
Glenns Ferry	98	37	66	6	0.03	-0.18	2.44	-0.22	1316	114	35
Grandview	98	38	66	3	0.00	-0.21	1.34	-0.81	1376	117	20
Nampa	94	44	67	5	0.00	-0.21	1.18	-1.77	1401	123	35
Parma	98	40	68	7	0.01	-0.24	1.47	-1.69	1421	131	50
South Central											
Fairfield	84	29	56	2	0.00	-0.28	1.23	-2.44	613	44	12
Malta	90	26	58	1	0.00	-0.35	1.83	-1.66	823	56	4
Picabo	87	31	60	6	0.00	-0.29	1.27	-2.17	840	72	35
Rupert	90	34	60	3	0.00	-0.28	1.45	-1.48	989	71	15
Twin Falls	90	37	63	5	0.01	-0.25	1.88	-1.30	1103	90	35
East											
Aberdeen	85	34	59	3	0.00	-0.28	1.82	-1.09	898	63	18
Ashton	82	29	55	1	0.07	-0.49	2.38	-3.25	685	39	7
Fort Hall	88	33	58	1	0.00	-0.35	1.64	-2.20	835	61	7
Idaho Falls	84	31	58	2	0.00	-0.35	1.11	-2.25	855	57	10
Lava Hot Springs	87	34	59	2	0.00	-0.35	1.92	-1.92	851	64	10
Montevieu	82	27	56	-2	0.00	-0.32	1.12	-1.85	732	49	2
Preston	85	35	59	2	0.00	-0.39	3.66	-0.60	952	65	11
Rexburg	83	32	57	3	0.01	-0.41	2.00	-1.98	778	53	19

1/ Summary based on NWS data. DFN = Departure From Normal. Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches. Air Temperatures in Degrees Fahrenheit. Weather data prepared by AWIS, Inc. For more weather information visit www.awis.com or call 1-888-798-9955.